

FIRST BIG HANDICAP OF YEAR TO BE DECIDED THIS AFTERNOON

The Metropolitan Handicap
Will Be Run at
Morris Park.

LARGE FIELD WILL GO TO THE POST

All of the Best Horses in
Training to Meet
Today.

THE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS

New York Steeplechase and Juvenile
Stakes Also to Be Decided—Large
Crowd Expected to See Race—Water
Color Likely Favorite for Big Race.

NEW YORK, May 2.—Everything is in
condition at Morris Park for the opening
of the racing season tomorrow. The
track is not at its best, but when the
hour for the first race arrives tomorrow it
will be fast if no rain falls in the mean-
time.

The chief topic of conversation today—
which was an off one for turf followers—
has been the Metropolitan Handicap, the
feature of tomorrow's program, which will
be run as the fourth race on the card.
It is the first big race of the year, and
much interest is manifested in it. Specu-
lation as to the winner is very lively,
but there are few persons who have de-
cided opinions as to the winner. In the
past there generally has been a pro-
nounced favorite in the ante-post betting,
but it is quite likely that the first choice
in tomorrow's race will be quoted at a
good price.

Many persons went out to the track this
morning and this afternoon in the hope
of getting a line on the runners. The
meeting promises to be the best in the
history of Morris Park, as there are more
horses now quartered at the track than
have ever been there before, while the
stables at the other race courses ad-
jacent to New York are full to overflowing.

Two Other Stakes to Be Run.

Besides the Metropolitan, the Juvenile
Stakes, for two-year-olds, and the New
York Steeplechase are down on the card
for decision tomorrow, and unless all
present signs are wrong, the crowd that
will go to the track tomorrow will be the
greatest that ever visited Morris Park.

Around the leading hotels tonight there
is but one subject talked about, and that
is the big race tomorrow. It is being
talked of at the theaters, and the profes-
sional people will be largely represented
at the race course tomorrow. A well-
known bookmaker announced that Water-
color will probably go to the post as
favorite for the Metropolitan, and he
quoted the probable odds at 1 to 1. Herbert, Colonel
Padden, and Franco, he thinks, will be the
next in favor among the layers at the
opening.

Probable Starters.

The following horses will likely go to
the post: Watercolor, 125; Alcedo, 121;
McMeekin, 120; Herbert, 119; Ten Candles,
119; Roehampton, 118; His Eminence, 117;
Heno, 107; Kamara, 106; Far Rockaway,
105; Colonel Padden, 104; Aresenal, 99;
Whiskey King, 101; Old England, 100;
Sombroso, 99; Smoke, 100; Pentecost, 99;
Saturday, 98; Chilton, 98; Northern Star,
96.

Far Rockaway, Carbuncle, Bonnhert,
Reina, and Lux Casta are included among
the entries for the race, but they are
doubtful starters. It is, of course, very
probable that a number of those named
to go will be scratched, but it is likely
that the field will number from fifteen to
eighteen horses, and will be one of the
largest that ever went to the post in the
handicap.

Jockeys Who Will Ride.

As far as can be learned tonight, the
jockeys who will ride the candidates are
as follows: Watercolor, Wonderly; Bon-
nhert, Turner; McMeekin, Bullman; Ten
Candles, Bookner; Roehampton, J. Woods;
His Eminence, Landry; Kamara, Brennan;
Heno, Burns; Pentecost, Redfern; Chil-
ton, Shaw; Arsenal, J. Daly; Reina, O'Con-
nor; Col. Padden, J. Martin; Daxline, Shea;
Old England, Michael; Sombroso, L.
Jackson. The jockeys for Alcedo, Far
Rockaway, and Whiskey King have not as
yet been announced.

Final Trials of Racers.

Nearly all of the prospective starters
for the race had their final trials on
Thursday. At Morris Park, the Clarence
Mackay horses showed the best performance.
Heno and Kamara went a mile in
1:44, while His Eminence negotiated the
distance in 1:45. The latter's work was
really the best, for he was running faster
at the finish than when he began, while
Heno and Kamara were backing up a tri-
ble at the end. Pentecost was sent the
distance in 1:49; the Morris horse, Old En-
gland and Sombroso, went the mile in 1:52;
Bonnhert showed the distance in 1:56.
Arsenal worked the handicap mile in
1:46, and Herbert's time was 1:49, Col-
onel Padden worked in 1:46, and Chilton
in 1:48. Daxline was sent a mile and
a quarter, which he negotiated in 2:21,
and Reina worked a mile in 1:51. Smart Set's
time was 1:49. At Gravesend on Thursday
McMeekin covered a mile in 1:44, which he
did handsily, and at Sheepshead Bay, Smoke
worked a mile in 1:45. Watercolor has
been training at Eatontown, N. J., and
has done everything that his trainer has
asked of him.

The race will be worth nearly \$12,000, of
which the winner will receive about \$10,
400.

Results at Worth.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 2.—Results of to-
day's races: track slow.

First race—For two-year-olds; four fur-
longs. Filly Deck (Dominick), 6 to 1, won;

Courage (Birkenruth), 4 to 1, second;

Totia (Victory), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:02.

Second race—For three-year-olds and up-
ward; selling; six furlongs. Theory

(Birkenruth), even; won; Peace (Dow-
nfield), 25 to 1, second; Sandita (W.

Waldo), 25 to 1, third. Time, 1:18.5.

Third race—For four-year-olds and up-
ward; seven furlongs. Charley Moore

(Seaton), 10 to 1, won; Automaton (O'Neil),
2 to 1, second; Hermencia (Birkenruth),
8 to 1, third. Time, 1:31.5.

Fourth race—For three-year-olds; one
mile. Owenon (Goss), 2 to 1, won; La-
cien Appleby (Birkenruth), 5 to 1, second;
Otis (Dominick), 2 to 1, third. Time,
1:46.1.

Fifth race—For two-year-olds; selling;
five furlongs. Brookston (Anstett), 4 to 1,
won; Mirance (Seaton), 4 to 1, second;
Lady Matchless (W. Waldo), 12 to 1, third.
Time, 1:30.

Sixth race—For three-year-olds and up-
ward; selling; one and one-sixteenth
miles. Marcos (Otis), even, won; Homage

THE TIMES' SELECTIONS

Six Winners Out of Six Races Were Named to Win Yesterday.

Readers of The Times who are numbered among the race
followers yesterday profited by the selections given in the morn-
ing paper. Six horses were named in the six races at Worth,
and every one that was selected to win finished first.

Two of the horses were at good odds, Filly Deck capturing
the first event at 6 to 1 and Charley Moore winning the
third race at 10 to 1. A parley of \$5 on the six horses would
have netted the investor a total of \$23,100.

Selections for Today at Morris Park.

First race—Navasota, Mackey Dwyer, All Souls.
Second race—Peninsula, Neither One, Swiftmas.
Third race—Spencer Reid, Sargeant, Drop O'Eye.
Fourth race—Watercolor, Mackey entry, Roehampton.
Fifth race—G. W. Jenkins, Widener entry, Last Chord.
Sixth race—Peninsula, Riddle, Early Eve.

Entries at Morris Park.

MORRIS PARK, May 2.—Entries for to-
morrow's races:

First race—For two-year-olds; four
furlongs; Eclipse course. Jousie King,
Mackey Dwyer, 112; All Souls, Makeda,
109; Irish Lad, 112; Navasota, Mamari,
119; C. Elwood, Fritzbrillar, 112; Our
Maggie, 109; Sun Gold, Melbourne E.,
Cipollini, Short Hose, Bob McLean, in-
goal, 112; Tioza, 109; Flying Jib, Hurst
Park, Pageant, 112.

Second race—For three-year-olds and
upward; five and one-half furlongs. Tim
D. Jr., 121; Frankfort, 104; Watercolor,
110; Igniter, 115; Numerical, 107; Shane,
110; Peninsula, 115; Neither One, 110;
Swiftmas, 121.

Third race—The Juvenile; for two-year-
olds; five furlongs of Eclipse course. Fire
Eater, Burgundy, River Pirate, Merry
Acrobat, 122; Mary Street, 119; Shouman,
Sir Verbera, Sargeant, Dalesman, Jr.,
Wagyard, 122; Queen Elizabeth, 112; Du-
razzo, Spencer Reid, Drop O' Eye, Heri-
Apparent, 122.

Fourth race—The Metropolitan Handi-
cap; for three-year-olds and upward; one

mile. Alcedo, 122; Watercolor, 125;
Fell entry, McMeekin, 120; Herbert, Ten
Candles, 119; Roehampton, 116; His Emi-
nence, 110; Heno, 107, and Kamara, 102.
Mackey entry; Far Rockaway, 107; Car-
buncle, 98, and Daxline, 97; Wilson en-
try; Reina, 102, and Arsenal, 90; Feather-
stone entry; Whiskey King, 101; Som-
brero and Old England, 100; Morris entry,
Pentecost, Saturday, Smart Set, Chilton,
98; Lux Casta, 92.

Fifth race—The New York Steeplechase
Handicap; for four-year-olds and upward;
two miles. Somers, 156, and Plato, 124,
Chambers entry; Jim McGibbon, 156; G.
W. Jenkins, 122; Emerson, 122; Fulminate,
153, and Miss Mitchell, 157; Widener en-
try; Last Chord, 156.

Sixth race—For three-year-olds and up-
ward; selling; seven furlongs. Dr. Rid-
dle, 114; Teubla, 108; The Referee, 104;
H. L. Coleman, 98; M. Harrison, 93; Pe-
ninsula, 98, and Highland, 93; Early Eve,
88; Carroll D., 97; Sharpshooter, 98; Sa-
tire, 112; Vassal Dance, 98; Seminoles, 113;
Duckey, 11; Flying Fox, 118; Jack De-
mund, 104.

(Dean), 4 to 1, second; Miss Liza (L. A.
Jackson), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:52.4-5.

WORTH, May 2.—Entries for tomorrow's
races:

First race—For three-year-olds; six fur-
longs. Fronta, Dodie S., 103; Pretonius,
102; Samelson, Dandola, 108; Frank Mc-
112; Fox Flyer, 111; Red Tip, 115.
Second race—For two-year-olds; four
furlongs. Vestia, 100; Little Stingy, 103;
Louise Collier, Silver Fringe, 105; Com-
petition, 108; Stem Winder, Tom Cogan,
112.

Third race—For four-year-olds and up-
ward; selling; one mile and seventy yards.
Lavator, 92; The Lady, 112; Scarlet Lily,
92; The Conqueror, 106; Lacrimae, 92.

Fifth race—For four-year-olds and up-
ward; five furlongs. Zebra, 90; Botany,
92; Burle Burton, 100; Moneybags, 107;
Joe King, 108; Waring, 128.

Sixth race—For three-year-olds and up-
ward; selling; seven furlongs. Approved,
98; Sly Maid, 91; Mifano, 95; Big Injun,
105; Malay, 106; Donator, John Drake, 107;
Ponsart, 108; Precursor, 110; Braw Lad,
102.

WORTH SELECTIONS.

First race—Fronta, Dandola, Red Tip.

Second race—Tom Cogan, Computation,
Stem Winder.

Third race—Scarlet Lily, Lacrimae, Red
Apple.

Fourth race—Scarlet Lily, Lacrimae, The
Lady.

Fifth race—Burmie Burton, Moneybags,
Waring.

Sixth race—Braw Lad, Ponsart, Ap-
proved.

Results at Nashville.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 2.—Results of
today's races: track slow.

First race—For three-year-olds and up-
ward; one mile. King Dally (O'Neill),
even, won; Jim Clark (Gade), 2 to 1, sec-
ond; Joe Martin (Waltch), 2 to 1, third. Time,
1:15.

Second race—For maiden two-year-olds.
Fore and Aft (Hetherington), 2 to 1, won;
Stand Pat (Gormley), 2 to 1, second;
Ouita (O'Neill), 3 to 1, third. Time,
0:57.5.

Third race—For three-year-olds and up-
ward; one mile and seventy yards. Jordan
(O'Neill), 7 to 5, won; Ethel Wheat
(Hetherington), 5 to 2, second; Blink (Beau-
champ), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:47.4.

Fourth race—For maiden three-year-
olds and upward; five and one-half fur-
longs. Aurea (Dade), even, won; Sally
Green (O'Neill), 6 to 1, second; Commen-
dagger (Gade), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:09.5.

ST. LOUIS SELECTIONS.

First race—Clarena, Maggie Clouton,
Missile.

Second race—Seize, Duke Dushaway,
Sue Vius.

Third race—Ampere, Orleans, A. D. Gib-
son.

Fourth race—Nobleman, A. D. Gibson,
Waxtaper.

Fifth race—Father Wentker, Ethylene,
Hainault.

Sixth race—W. B. Gates, All Saints, Sir
Rolla.

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Ladies' \$5 to \$7 Dress Skirts and

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\$3.98

A manufacturer's surplus stock of Fine Dress Skirts and
Walking Skirts, at a price that will send every woman here
in a hurry today.

The Walking Skirts are of Viennas, Tibets, Cheviots,
and Fancy Tweeds, in gray, light tan, mode, Oxford, royal,
navy, and brown, as well as dark grays and blacks. Flounce
cut skirts, some elaborately tucked, others corded and with
tailor stitching; others with strap trimmings, and some with
wide stitched bands; others with fancy panels.

The Dress Skirts are of Cheviots, Broadcloths, Ven-
etians, and Homespuns, with satin and taffeta braid trim-
mings. Included are Misses' lengths. Some have more
bands, while others have tailored strap trimmings, and still
others have new style graduated flounces.

Choice of these Skirts, worth \$5.00, \$6.00, and \$7.00, for

\$3.98

ODDS ON THE METROPOLITAN.

Probable Prices Against the Starters in
Today's Big Race.

Joseph P. Ullman, the Chesapeake
Beach turf broker, furnishes the follow-
ing probable odds against the starters in
today's Metropolitan Handicap, at Mor-
ris Park:
Watercolor, 3; Alcedo, 20; Bonnhert,
10; McMeekin, 10; Ten Candles, 15; Roehampton, 12; His Eminence, 20; Kamara,
25; Heno, 8; Pentecost, 7; Chilton, 15;
Arsenal, 20; Reina, 10; Smoke, 8; Herbert,
10; Colonel Padden, 10; Far Rockaway, 40;
Whiskey King, 30; Daxline, 25; Smart
Set, 20.

FELL FROM WINDOW.

Mrs. Von Dachenhausen, a Washington
Woman, Probably Fatally Injured.

MOUNT HOLLY, N. J., May 2.—While
calling to a friend from a third-story win-
dow of her boarding house here, Mrs.
Alexander von Dachenhausen, of Wash-
ington, D. C., lost her balance and fell to
the ground. It is feared that she may die,
as she is believed to be injured inter-
nally.

Mrs. von Dachenhausen is superinten-
dent of the South Jersey Gas and Electric
Works, and his wife recently came here
from Washington to join him.

SEABOARD AGENT RESIGNS.

Mr. R. E. L. Bunch Leaves Road to Go
East in Other Service.

(Special to The Washington Times.)
NORFOLK, Va., May 2.—Mr. R. E. L.
Bunch, general passenger agent of the
Seaboard Air Line Railway, has resigned.
He will terminate his connection with the
system immediately and go East in other
service.

This announcement will be received with
much regret by all friends and patrons of
the Seaboard. Mr. Bunch, after many
years' service with the Southern Railway,
declined the appointment of general pas-
senger agent of its St. Louis lines to ac-
cept the position he leaves today.

During his service with the Seaboard
he has made it a factor in the Florida
tourist traffic and has more than once dis-
played signal ability in the management
of his department, despite the terrific
competition from other lines.

The announcement of his successor has
not been made.

Albert F. Childs' Will Filed.

The will of Albert F. Childs, dated
January 12, 1886, was filed yesterday for
probate. He left his entire estate to his
wife, Mrs. Jane L. Childs, with the ex-
ception of a gold watch, which he gave
to his brother, Frank H. Childs.

INCREASE IN SHIPBUILDING.

One Hundred and Fifteen Vessels the
Record for April.

The Bureau of Navigation of the Treas-
ury Department in its monthly shipbuild-
ing returns for April reports a large in-
crease in American shipbuilding. Alto-
gether 115 vessels of 79,733 gross tons
were built in the United States during the
month of April, being divided as follows:
Built along the Atlantic and Gulf, 72 ves-
sels of 26,123 gross tons; Pacific, 18 ves-
sels of 11,346 gross tons; Great Lakes, 14
vessels of 41,573 gross tons; Western
rivers, 11 vessels of 596 gross tons.

During the ten months ended April 30,
1961, 1,072 sail and steam vessels of 229,
499 gross tons were built in the United
States, as compared with 881 vessels of
210,132 tons during the same period of
the preceding year.

No Decision in Conspiracy Cases.

It was expected that Justice Anderson
would have disposed of the motion for
new trials yesterday in the cases of
Llewellyn W. Pulley and George McGones,
who were convicted of conspiracy. The
press of other business, however, prevent-
ed him from doing so. The matter was,
therefore, postponed until next Friday, at
which time Justice Anderson will an-
nounce his decision.

FIRE AT HIS SERENADERS.

Bridegroom, Bayler, Resented the Noise
Raised by Some of His Customers.

LITTLE FALLS, N. Y., May 2.—Late last
night a group of friends of Mr. and Mrs.
William Keiser assembled around the
Keiser home to serenade the newly mar-
ried couple. The first number was a touch-
ing love song, enthusiastically rendered
by the friends. The bridegroom was in-
sensible to charms of this sort, and failed
to appear.

As he did not seem to appreciate vocal
music the serenaders resorted to drums,
horns and tin pans. Keiser was driven to
desperation by the noise and telephoned
for the police, who did not go to Keiser's
rescue.

Instead of appearing on the porch to
thank his well wishers and to pass around
cigars Keiser began to fire a fusillade at
his serenaders. After he had emptied his
revolver the crowd dispersed, remarking
that the bridegroom had queer ideas of
hospitality. One bullet went through the
trousers of one member of the serenading
party.

Keiser is a hose harber and his place is
patronized by the leading citizens of this
town. Many of the party were his cus-
tomers. Keiser declares that the car-
tridges he discharged were blank, but
others say that something more substan-
tial than wadding flew through the air.

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Although there were round about a thousand Suits
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We couldn't have afforded to have accepted them even
at the enormous concession in price if we had not felt
confident you'd see the full force of the bargain and
respond in proportion.

It has been rush here since Monday morning.
Naturally the best choosing must be made without

further delay. Circumstances have overtopped the most enterprising—the most
strenuous—endeavor. We're having a special sale in May that would be a great
event in August. Giving the choice of values that have every qualification for place
in our regular stock up to \$16.50. EVERY SUIT IS A SAKS SUIT—made for us; made
under our supervision; made according to our dictation.

You have every certainty of satisfaction in our guarantee.

\$10.00 and the choice
rests with you.

There's wide range for choice, too. Plain Blue Serges; Plain Black and Blue Chevi-
ots; Fancy Cheviots, Cassimeres and Homespuns—choice, exclusive, genteel patterns, all of
them. And for styles there are the Conservative Single Breasted Sacks; extreme Military
Sacks; the new Two-button Double Breasted Sacks and Norfolks. They've got the Saks
fit and the Saks careful attention to every detail in making.

Three Specials in Boys' Clothing.

Our kind of Boys' Clothing, too. You know the Saks kind—with the snap of style and the
strength of quality. We never bring into this department a value that can possibly discredit it.
Our scrutiny of special purchases is more searching even than of the regular lines. There's al-
ways safety in responding to a Saks-special; always profit for you in it.

Boys' Double-breasted and Novelty Short Pants Suits, in very neatly checked Cheviot; reinforced making— and two pairs of Pants with each Suit. Sizes range from 3 to 15 years. Retail value is \$3.00.	\$1.95	Boys' Double-breasted, Manly, Nor- folk, Sailor, and Three-piece Short Pants Suits; some Serges, some Chevi- ots, and a few Homespuns; rein- forced making throughout and silk sewed. Sizes 3 to 15 years. Retail value is \$4.50.	\$3.45	Boys' Double-breasted, Norfolk and Three-piece Short Pants Suits; in plain and fancy colors; only a few of kind, but quite a variety of styles. In sizes from 7 to 15 years. Retail values are \$7.50, \$9.00, and \$10.00.	\$4.75
Boys' Blue Serge Pants, with patent bands and reinforced seams; sizes 3 to 15 years; worth 75c.	59c	Boys' Negligee Shirts and House Waists; plain white and fancy madras; worth 75c.	50c	Boys' Underwear; long and short sleeve Shirts and long and short Drawers, with double seat; worth 35c.	25c

Felt Hats and Panama Straws—Special Sales of Both.

We'll wind up the two lot sale of
Soft Felt Hats and Panamas today.
Best offering we've made during the
Felt season, sure as you're born.
Styles are better, sizes are better,
dimensions better assorted. The Soft
Hats are in the Panama and Fedora
shapes—black and pearl; the berberys
are in the most extreme shapes you
can demand; of course some of the
simple styles as well—all black.

\$1.15
is for choice of the lot worth
up to \$2.50.

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Talk about surprising the Hatters—they don't even know where we get
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direct—import them ourselves. And they are GENUINE PANAMAS, made in
Ecuador. There isn't a Panama in this lot worth less than \$10—
are quite certain you cannot match them for \$10 anywhere. Cer-

Children's \$1 Straw Sailors at 49c.

Here's extraordinary buying for today. There are only twenty dozen of
these Hats—but they are the medium brim Sailors, in fancy straw, with silk
bands and streamers. Could sell them easily at \$1—but we bought them
special, and so they are sold special.

Boys' Knox-straw Yacht Hats, concealed stitch finish and latest
shaper; silk bands; worth \$1.

69c

The Shoe Special for Saturday.

Just remember, you are buying guaranteed Shoes, no matter what the price
may be. Price is a matter of circumstances dependent upon conditions of pur-
chase. But quality is a fixed quantity.

Ladies' Black Vici and Velvet Kid and Patent Leather Button Lace Shoes and Oxfords; new shapes, with latest styles in heels and toes; light medium, and heavy soles. Worth \$3 a pair.	\$1.95
Ladies' Guaranteed Ideal Patent Kid Oxfords, hand welt, ex- tended edge, military, steep, and colonial heels. About 200 pairs in the lot; worth \$1, for—	\$2.20
Men's Black Vici Kid and Phenetic Calf Lace Shoes and Oxfords; a few pairs of Congress Gaiters, single or double soles; plain tipped toes, latest style shoes; worth \$2.50 a pair.	\$1.95
Misses' and Children's Black Vici Kid Button and Lace Shoes, solid oak soles and plain or patent leather tips. Misses' sizes \$1.25 a pair. Children's sizes—	\$1.00
Boys' and Youngs' Black Satin Calf Lace Shoes; solid and sub- stant throughout; comfortable and shapely shapes; all sizes; \$2 a pair.	\$1.45